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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the specification as follows.

On page 1, line 1, insert the following:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims the benefit under U.S.C. §119(e) of U.S. provisional application Serial No. 60/242,614, filed October 23, 2000, in the name of Thomas B. Sheridan and entitled "Hybrid Vehicle Simulator".

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Favorable consideration is requested.

Respectfully submitted

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